California Unemployment Insurance Appeals Board Privacy Policy

It is the policy of the California Unemployment Insurance Appeals Board (CUIAB) to:

- ➤ Limit the collection of personally identifiable information to that which is necessary to process your appeal or otherwise assist you. The purposes for which personally identifiable data are collected are specified at or prior to the time of collection, and any subsequent use are limited to the fulfillment of that purpose. Ask our representatives if ever it is not clear why certain information is being collected or requested of you.
- Not disclose, make available, or use any personally identifiable data for purposes other than the reasons specified at or before the time of collection without your consent or as authorized by law or regulation. Unless specifically authorized by you or otherwise provided by law or regulation, CUIAB will not discuss your claim or disclose your personal information to another individual that is not a party to your case. Our employees only access and use information about you on a need-to-know basis in order to fulfill our administrative duties and assist you. For your protection, our representatives will require your assistance with obtaining proper authorization before speaking with interpreters, spouses, other family members or friends.
- Maintain the integrity of information maintained about you and provide you with access to your information. You may notify a CUIAB representative if at anytime you wish to review the information or question the accuracy of the information we maintain about you.
- Secure all personal information collected and maintained by the CUIAB against loss, damage, modification or unauthorized disclosure. CUIAB employees are trained and provided with written procedures for safeguarding your personal information. Pursuant to current law and practice, CUIAB also uses multiple technological and procedural approaches to protect against unauthorized access or disclosure of your information. These include, but are not limited to, individual computer login identification and password protocols, and computer network firewalls.
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